

Ten Cents per Month.

July—Government control of local schools mooted; Orangemen observed 12th of July; Donald McPhee, J. Dando marriage; Mell Fadden barn razed; Sumas paving started; Andre

Regular week-end fares will be in effect on the B.C. Electric Fraser Valley interurban line, good going to January 1, inclusive, with a return limit Thursday, January 2, between any two points, subject to minimum fare.

The Empress of Australia's West Indies cruise departures from New York will be January 23rd, February 12th, February 29th, March 21st, and April 9th, for cruises of 18 days, 16 days, and 10 days in length.

Photographs show a merry tea party, a before-dinner gathering on the new shelter deck, and a deck quoits game.

Barbara, 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook, was taken to Chilliwack hospital today.

Seeking more equitable scale of charges for electric power extends in their respective districts, Reeves G. Cruickshank, Brown of Surrey and Booth of Langley interviewed Mr. Murrin, B.C.E.R. general manager in Vancouver last week, and laid certain data before him. It was contended that cost of new service lines is too high throughout districts where new settlement is taking place, while those coming on the service after the line has been constructed do not pay their share of the initial cost. The Fraser Valley Reeves Association will press for a reduction in these costs.

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J. S. Daly is leaving this week for a brief visit with relatives and friends in Edmonton.

An excellent concert was given by the Bradner Community Sunday school just before Christmas.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Admiral Sir Roger Keyes, member of parliament and naval hero of the Great War, demanded that the British navy be made supreme in the world.

Officials at the Zeppelin works in Friedrichshafen, Germany, have announced the new dirigible LZ-129 will be ready for trial flights early next year.

Exchange of a house for a postage stamp has been disclosed. B. C. Berger, Seattle, traded the stamp, of an 1868 Canadian issue valued at about \$500, for a small house and lot.

Exports of Canadian bacon during the first nine months of 1935 totalled nearly 100,000,000 pounds with a value of \$15,756,171, a gain of about one million dollars over the same period of 1934.

Pretending to be in dire poverty and living in a drab cottage that had neither electricity, gas nor other improvements, Mrs. Ellen J. Ackerman, who died in New York on Nov. 20, left a hoarded fortune of \$200,000.

Anxious to register so that they will be eligible for the Social Credit dividend of \$25 per month if and when it is granted, scores of single jobless men from all parts of Canada are drifting into the cities of Calgary and Edmonton daily.

President Roosevelt has formally proclaimed the reciprocal trade treaty between the United States and Canada to become effective Jan. 1. The president also proclaimed the treaty between the United States and Brazil.

Carl Janssen, who professes to have introduced stop-and-go lights in England, appeared at the Thames police court, London, accused of having failed to observe a stop-and-go light. Despite a plausible excuse, he was forced to pay \$2.50.

William Brown, of Deloraine, Man., president of the Canadian Ayrshire Breeders' Association, has been re-elected director of Manitoba and Saskatchewan, it was announced. John Richards, Jr., of Red Deer, Alta., was elected director for Alberta and British Columbia.

Praises Trade Treaty

Step In Right Direction Says Sir Edward Beatty

Commendation of the Canada-United States reciprocal trade treaty was voiced at Thorold, Ont., by Sir Edward Beatty, K.C., who returned to his home-town to address the annual dinner of the Thorold Board of Trade.

"The new trade agreement is a step in the right direction," declared the president of the Canadian Pacific Railways in a postscript to his address.

Increased trade and postponement of large public works where the cost was disproportionate to the direct stimulus given employment were cited as essentials to complete recovery in Canada. Later he said: "I never could see the virtue of trying to destroy because we have found defects in our system. There is no reason to burn down the house because there are a few cockroaches in the cellar."

Mail Was Delayed

Letters Slipped Behind Post Boxes 32 Years Ago

The postal service of Fort Worth, Texas, is pretty efficient, but it has just finished a delivery that was 32 years late. Some letters had slipped down between crevices of old-time rent boxes in the old post-office. Some were so time-worn that they crumbled to bits between the fingers of workmen who were replacing the boxes. But the mail must go through. All that still retained their form were delivered. New boxes eliminate a possibility of the incident's happening again.

Disobeyed Orders

A hired man disobeyed orders and 663 pigs, owned by J. H. Parsons and valued at \$600, went to a watery grave in Seven Persons Creek, Alta. The porkers plunged through a hole and went down stream under the ice. The hired man was ordered to chop a hole near the shore. Instead, he went to the centre of the stream.

To prevent bruising of the animals, the inside of cattle cars of the government railways in South Africa will be padded.

More American automobiles are purchased in South America than in any other country in the world.

Friendship is the result of knowing each other well—but not too well.

Utopia Is In Tonga Islands

Island Has No Unemployment And A Smooth Functioning Legislature

A picturesque Pacific island where—There is no income tax. Nobody is without property. There are no poor. Nobody is illiterate. There is a simplified smooth-functioning legislature.

It is the island of Tonga, and its Crown Prince Taufa Ahau, when visiting Melbourne, Australia, for Methodist church centenary, has been telling about it.

Every boy on attaining the age of 16 is given a grant of 8 1/4 acres of land and a village home; in other words the means to make a living among his 30,000 fellow islanders.

In place of income tax, a payment of \$10 a year is levied on every male adult, and this entitles him to free medical, dental and hospital treatment for himself and his family. To augment the revenue, there are customs duties and a tax on motor cars. There are free primary schools and two colleges.

Prince Taufa Ahau, not yet 18, is more than six feet tall, and has already won distinction as a hurdler, weight putter and footballer. He is studying law.

Medical Science In Russia

Standard Is High Opinion Of Sir Frederick Banting

High praise for the standards of medical science in Russia was uttered by Sir Frederick Banting, discoverer of insulin, in an address before the Hamilton, Ont., Health Association.

So intensively and efficiently had the nation tackled the problem of tuberculosis, said Sir Frederick that one hardly ever saw or heard of a bedridden tuberculosis patient in Russia.

"Of course," he said, "their problems are not ours. They tackle the disease much earlier. The workers are examined by their factory or trade union doctors and sent to institutions as soon as signs of tuberculosis develop. The result is that you rarely see a case that requires bed treatment."

Sir Frederick, who returned recently from a trip to Russia, also said medical science was keeping pace with civilization. It was not enough to fight disease when it came, but medical science must fight also to prevent it.

Naturalists Baffled

Many Birds' Markings Are On This Strange Specimen

Mother Nature got all tangled up, sportsmen believed, after viewing a strange bird which has naturalists from Lewiston, Idaho, baffled. The mysterious bird of many colors, a hen, bears the markings of a China pheasant, a blue grouse and a bronze domestic turkey. It is twice as large as a fullgrown pheasant. The tail is rounded and stunted, like that of a turkey. Around the eye there is the scarlet mark of the pheasant rooster and the back and wings bear the mark of the Oriental bird. The feathered legs and lower breast are marked like the grouse and the bronze and bars of the gobbler appear on the tail feathers.

Bottle Crosses The Ocean

Dropped Overboard South Of Newfoundland Was Found In Scotland

A bottle has crossed the Atlantic—after a "voyage" of nine months. It was found on the coast of North Uist, in the Hebrides, Scotland, by Malcolm Robertson, of Lochmaddy. A message inside asked the finder to communicate with the town hall at Havre and stated a reward would be forthcoming. Officials there have just received a letter from Mr. Robertson. The message said the bottle was thrown into the sea from the liner Lafayette south of the Newfoundland Banks on Jan. 22, 1935.

Elastic Safety Curb

An "elastic" barrier or curb is being tried out at a bend on a steep hill near Frankfurt-on-Main in Germany, to protect motorists from going over the edge. Two steel ropes are stretched at the height of a car's wheels along the dangerous side of the road and are fastened to iron posts at either end by wire springs. It is claimed that this elastic fence will guide a motor car back to the road if, in rounding the bend, it should go too near the edge.

The new recruit passed an officer without saluting.

"Here, my man," called the officer, "do you see this uniform I'm wearing?"

"Yes, sir, and just look at this thing they gave me." 2128

GERMAN RAILWAY OFFICIAL



Werner Haag, official representative of the German State Railways, who has recently opened an Information Bureau for the German State Railways in Canada at Toronto. Mr. Haag comes to Canada after many years' association with the German State Railways offices in Berlin, London and Paris and he is also the official representative of the organizing committee for the 11th Olympic Games in 1936, in Berlin.

Canadian Bacon

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Palestine is not as fertile now as it was in the days of Christ.

Received Special Permit

Tower On University Of London 210 Feet High

The tower that will dominate the new buildings of the University of London in Bloomsbury, England, will be 210 feet high, 40 feet higher than Nelson's Column in Trafalgar Square, but not the highest structure in London. The Big Ben tower on the houses of parliament is 320 feet high. Yet by London standards the university tower will be something of a skyscraper, and the view from its roof should be magnificent.

Special sanction has been received by the university authorities from the London county council for the erection of a building above the limit of from 80 feet to 100 feet, prescribed under the London Building Amendment Act of this year. Work on the base of the tower has been begun, but the whole structure may not be completed until 1937.

The tower will have eight storeys, several of which will be used for storing books for the library. The library will be in the base.

Lloyds Granted Charter

Famous English Insurance Firm Will Operate In Alberta

Lloyds of London, famous insurance firm, has been granted a charter to operate in Alberta under an order approved by the provincial cabinet.

The permission was refused when application was first made last year to the U.F.A. government. At that time, insurance men in the province protested that no bond would have to be posted by Lloyds. The British company will not establish a branch at Edmonton, but will deal through agencies already established, it was stated.

IS NEW COMMANDER



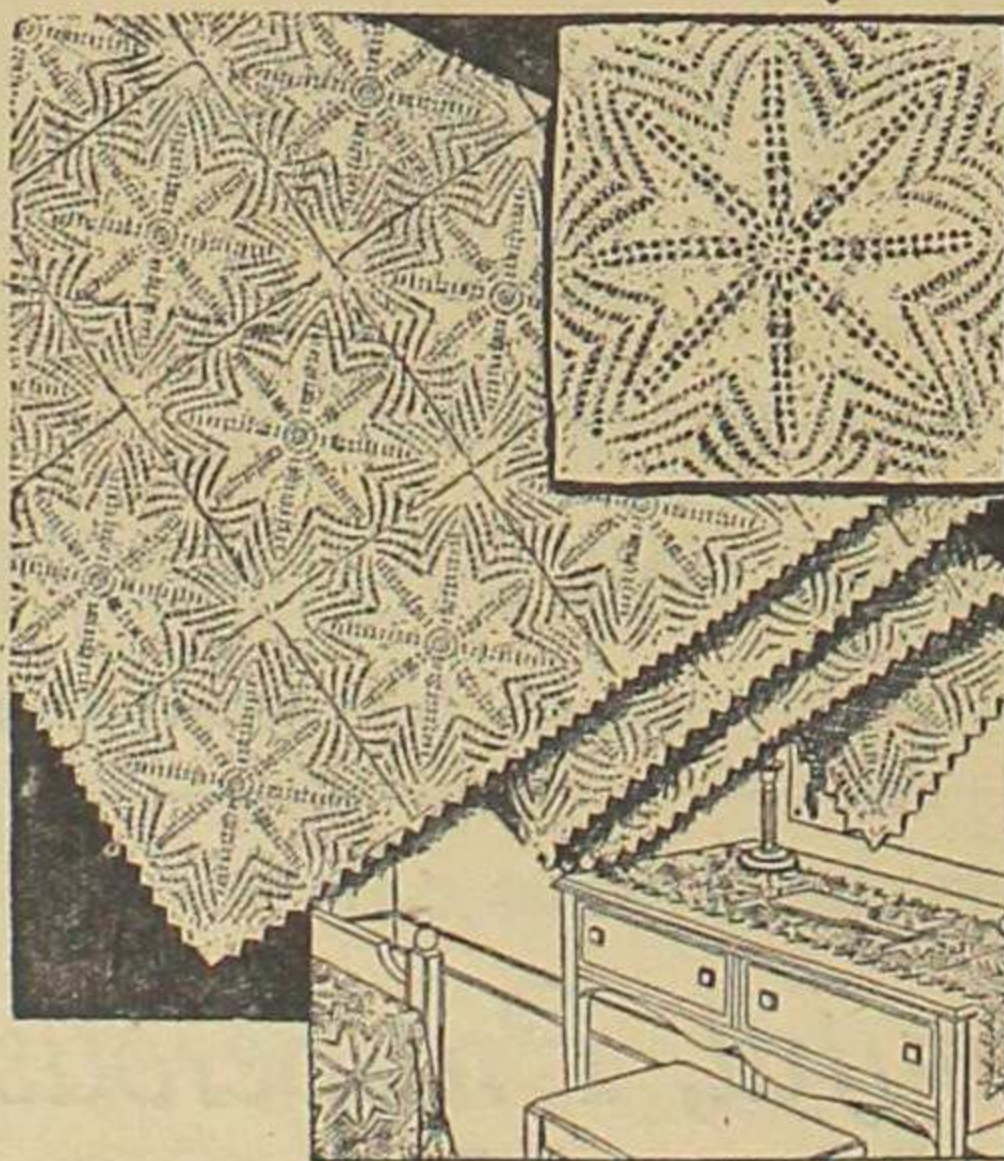
—Donaldson Atlantic Photo.

Captain George K. Baillie, new commander of the Donaldson Atlantic liner "Letitia", who brought this Scottish ship into Montreal Harbour recently as his first passenger command.

Captain Baillie was for 14 years master of the Donaldson freighter "Cortona", trading between Glasgow, the River Plate and Vancouver.

Captain Baillie is a Highlander and served his early apprenticeship in sail. He was last in Montreal during the War as an officer on the "Casandra".

New Needlework For Your Home



Household Arts by Alice Brooks

A New Knitted Medallion With Many Uses

PATTERN 5494

Here's a new needlework pattern that will stand you in good stead both before and after Christmas. Right now, one square knitted in string would make a lovely insertion for a pillow or scarf. Two, joined together, make a dollie. An edging is given to finish the pieces. Then after Christmas, plan to make a bedspread or dinner cloth—you'll find the squares make fine pick-up work. The lacy openwork sets off very effectively an attractive star pattern.

In pattern 5494 you will find complete instructions for making the square and joining it to make a variety of articles; an illustration of it and of all stitches needed; material requirements.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

There is no Alice Brooks pattern book published

Proving Valuable Aids

League Of Nations Making Use Of Aviation And Radio

Radio and aviation are proving valuable aids to the work of the League of Nations. Without these means of communication it would have been impossible for the League to arrive at its decisions and put into effect the sanctions program against Italy in so short a time and with such unanimity of action. When the League co-ordination committee completed its program of five sanctions against Italy, it was instantly in touch with all the governments represented, and the proposals received official endorsement. The terms of the sanctions were broadcast by the League's wireless station at Geneva as soon as they were adopted, and copies were immediately sent by air-mail to the 56 league members, including Ethiopia.

Such unanimity of decision and action would not have been possible in the old days. Delay was the mother of procrastination, and it gave the enemy an opportunity to get in some diplomatic work that might divert the nations from a course of united action which they were all agreed would be effective if carried out at once. Radio is breaking down barriers and demolishing boundary lines. It may not denationalize the world, but it is creating an international consciousness and conscience that should make for a better understanding and for peace.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Death Defying Dive

Ability To Judge A 45-Degree Angle Saves His Life

Red Brady, a recent visitor to Halifax, N.S., never studied geometry, but he says he owes his life to his ability to judge a 45-degree angle. He makes his living by diving 110 feet into five feet of water.

Brady studies his degrees and distances like a professor of mathematics. The tank into which he plunges is 15 feet across and contains five feet of water. His diving tower is 110 feet high. When he climbs to the topmost platform, he has these dimensions in mind. Then he tests the direction of the wind. If it is negligible he forgets it; if it is blowing, he makes a mental estimate of the slight sideslip it may give to his falling body. Finally he braces his feet, pauses, and falls forward and down—down in a dive that never carries him more than three and one-half feet below the surface.

At night his dives are even more spectacular, because he ties a piece of gasoline-soaked waste to his back.

Brady knows that if he miscalculates by as much as 10 degrees, he may never dive again, but he believes that his excellent physical condition will keep him accurate. He doesn't smoke, doesn't drink alcohol, tea or coffee, and never goes to parties.

Poverty Abolished

Soviet Dictator Says Poverty Thing Of The Past In Russia

Joseph Stalin, speaking at a conference of harvester drivers, declared poverty among peasants has been abolished in the Soviet Union.

"At the time of the czars 20,000,000 to 30,000,000 peasants were in a condition of semi-starvation," he said. "All this has been ended."

"We have succeeded in eliminating poverty along with unemployment. We are now on our way to wealth."

The Soviet dictator asserted between 4,000,000,000 and 5,000,000,000 pounds of grain had been harvested in the Soviet Union this year, and appealed for an increase of 8,000,000,000.

Educational Worker

Late Edward Best Graduated At Age Of 72

Edward E. Best, for 47 years an educational worker in Manitoba, is dead, aged 83.

Born in Ireland, Mr. Best came to Canada as a child and lived in Ontario until he came to Manitoba as a school teacher in 1881. For many years he was an inspector of schools.

A little more than 12 years ago Mr. Best determined to take a college degree and commenced study at the University of Manitoba, graduating as a B.A. at the age of 72.

A son, Ernest E. Best, is general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. for Canada and is well known in Winnipeg, Regina and other western cities.

Scheme Did Not Work

Cleveland police were talking about a worried motorist who parked his car in a forbidden spot and left a note on the windshield. "Do not leave ticket; back in 10 minutes." When the motorist returned, he found this reply: "Sorry—couldn't wait." There was also a ticket.

An Unscientific Storm

Weather Bureau Experts Were Puzzled By Freak Hurricane

Like men sitting on top of a rumbling volcano, citizens of Nassau, Bahamas, waited last November 3. Seventy miles north, a hurricane had whipped across the sea from Bermuda, and was on its way south. By morning, said Grady Norton, of the United States Weather Bureau, Nassau would get 'a pretty good walloping.'

Miles westward the same day, in Miami, Florida, said the Associated Press, "the sun was shining brightly . . . and a mild wind was blowing." The next afternoon, not Nassau, but Miami, received the walloping.

Suddenly changing the course predicted by meteorologists, the storm veered into the Florida spa just after one o'clock, leveling houses, tossing boats on land, and snarling telephone wires. After a short lull it smashed again, piling wreckage high, killing seven persons, injuring scores.

Chief among those tearing their hair, after the storm, were Weather Bureau meteorologists, whose calculations have been upset twice in the last three months. The storm "had about as much regard for the traditional hurricane route as an American auto-driver who insists on driving on the left hand side of the street," said the United Press describing an interview with I. R. Tannehill, of the Weather Bureau.

The Springfield Republican called the latest storm "not just another hurricane, but a freak of Nature so unprecedented as to set the scientific world agog."

Bacon Exports Up A Million Dollars

Has Made Strides In Meeting Competition On The British Market

Canada's exports of bacon during the first nine months of 1935 show a gain of about one million dollars over the same period of 1934. Exports of Canadian bacon to the end of September totalled nearly 100,000,000 pounds with a value of \$15,756,171 compared with 94,286,700 pounds valued at \$14,872,331 in the first nine months of 1934. This increase, amounting to 5,153,500 pounds in volume, was mostly all in the British market, which took 98,843,900 pounds, or 99.4 per cent. of the Dominion's total export.

Canadian bacon entering the British market is sold in competition with the world's best, and in the comparatively short period of four years Canada's position as an exporter of bacon to Great Britain has advanced from ninth place in 1931 to second place in 1934. In addition to supplying the British market with such a large quantity, Canada this year exported bacon to fifteen other countries, including the United States, Newfoundland, Bermuda, the different portions of the British West Indies, the French West Indies, the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, Japan, China, Fiji, Colombia, Peru and Alaska.

Domestic Court For Navy

Established To Settle Marriage Troubles Of British Sailors

The British navy is to have "domestic courts" to aid naval ratings who need advice or assistance for the well-being of their families, and to settle any domestic troubles that may arise.

This decision is announced in Fleet Orders, just issued. Three women have already been appointed to assist in this work and have begun their duties.

Officially, "domestic courts" are called the Welfare and Marriage Allowance section.

The "courts" are to be established in naval barracks at each of the three home ports, Portsmouth, Devonport and Chatham.

Rat Plague In Rumania

Bucharest is in search of a piper to put an end to the rat plague which is threatening public health. Packs of rats have crossed the river Dniester from Russia and have now invaded Rumania, including the capital. The ministry of public health has taken measures to destroy the pest, but the result has been nil. At night, pedestrians walking on Calea Victoriei, Bucharest's main thoroughfare and the street on which is situated the royal palace, experience the unpleasant sensation of tripping over rats which cross their way in thick, brown streams.

Plants that ordinarily grow in soil are being raised by a University of California scientist in tanks of water to which needed mineral salts are added, artificial sunshine also being supplied.



FLEMING'S FOLLY

— BY —
LAWRENCE A. KEATING

SYNOPSIS

Here is an absorbing and exciting story of a fight against stubborn prejudice and a bitter personal malignancy—a girl and a man battling ridicule, sabotage, bullets, and the treachery that would turn them against each other.

The story opens with Link Fleming addressing a meeting of Boone County cattlemen, called together with the object of forming an irrigation company.

(Now Go On With The Story)

CHAPTER I.—Continued

Thus, Link Fleming knew that to win Roper to his dream was to spell success. Only Kilgo could swing ranchers into line for irrigation. He was now carrying out his promise of yesterday so that Link could present Soak Torney, the drink-broken civil engineer he had discovered in an Atlas saloon. A mere shell of the man he had once been, he still was as enthusiastic about irrigating barren land as Fleming himself.

"Buzz is a regular fighter" cock," Kilgo grinned at the crowd, putting his arm around young Hamilton. "I'm for him too, 'cause I reckon yuh all know his sister and me are— Well," he said embarrassedly, "Helen will be back in town purty soon, and maybe then she'll let me tell yuh about our plans."

"But that's off the track now. I don't go in for fads as you men know, and maybe irrigation is one. Link, tell us about it; reckon that's what yuh got us here for, ain't it?" This was his chance, his long-sought opportunity to win the ranchers to his views! He had prepared for this moment for a year. Enthusiasm swept over him as it always did when he pondered the new means of improving the range. His pulse sped faster, and standing at full height before them, he chose his words with care.

"If you men could raise alfalfa to feed your stock winters, and use your home grass in the summer, you wouldn't need to worry whether the government passed rules about the foothills or not."

"We ain't farmers. We're cattlemen!" Buzz snapped.

"Well, something's got to be done, because we're going to be barred from the foothills, and our range is too thin to support steers all year round. Water the waste land that's all around us and you can grow alfalfa enough to feed your beef and

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maybe have some left over to sell. The secret is, irrigation!

"I've got seventeen hundred acres that hasn't been good for anything. It isn't worth as much as ordinary range, and grass brings only fifty cents an acre. But if I water that wasteland—" He paused impressively. "It will be worth at least a hundred dollars an acre!"

There was a swift exchange of surprised, doubtful, and questioning looks. Kilgo lifted a bushy eyebrow at his friend and henchman, Jackpot Mell. The proprietor of the Half Moon Saloon kept his face a mask but nodded slightly. His lean, wiry fingers toyed with the watch chain of shiny nuggets draped across his flowered vest. Fleming, from his raised position, followed the significant looks and felt a flash of uncertainty. But perhaps it was only his habitual suspicion of the Box 50 owner and his suave cronies, a cold blooded killer.

"From fifty cents to a hundred bucks an acre is purty long talk," Seth Howland muttered skeptically. "Yeah, and dammin' up water costs money. How do yuh figure to finance it, Link?" Honest John Mulrooney inquired.

"By forming the Boone County Improvement Association. We'll all buy stock according to the size of our spreads. That will provide capital for the irrigation ditches and dams."

"Well, o' course," Kilgo pointed out, "there's no use to form an association until we're shore the thing'll pay. Way it looks to me, we oughta have the judgment of somebody that knows. Boys, how about listenin' to Soak Torney? Soak's done engineerin' all over the world. He can tell us about Link's scheme, whether it'll work or not."

This, of course, was an adroit leading up to the winning of the whole throng of cattlemen. "I figure to go on what Torney says," Roper went on generously. "How about the rest of you guys?"

Why, the thing was now almost a certainty! If Roper endorsed Torney, the others were certain to follow like sheep. With eagerness he tried hard to mask, Fleming watched the men react.

"Reckon Soak knows plenty about engineerin', at that," Mulrooney conceded.

"Buzz, will yuh go along on whatever we decide? How about you, Benson? All right, Link, let's hear the facts."

The Star Loop owner realized that perhaps he had misjudged Kilgo. He was being helpful now, and seemed really anxious to know more about irrigation, which he had so derisively opposed during the last year. Yes, Link felt he had done the man an injustice. Roper wasn't as bad as he was painted!

The important thing was to seize this advantage. Turning, he beckoned to Torney. "Come on up here and tell us about it, Soak," he invited as casually as he could manage. "You're the man knows about waterin' land. We want your opinion."

All eyes watched the ragged, unkempt figure of the saloon hanger-on rise from his chair and begin to shuffle forward in his furtive, hang-dog way. Vague apprehension made Link frown as he saw that Soak was the worse for a recent drinking bout, though he had promised earnestly to remain sober for this meeting. His eyes were lustreless and his whole mien that of a spineless barfly.

However—Fleming shrugged—it was merely Torney's endorsement as a civil engineer that was needed to clinch the support of Boone County ranchers. He appeared sufficiently in control of his senses to give that. Pshaw, what damage could he do, even in his present condition?

"What's your idea on this?" Link asked. "Could we build an irrigation plant here?"

The man wet his lips while he blinked self-consciously. "Reckon you can build it anywhere you want."

Roper grinned at him secretly, and nodded. "How much would a proposition like this cost us?" Link went on, drawing him out.

The engineer rubbed his reddish nose as he studied the floor in front of him. "About thirty-five or forty thousand dollars for a starter. You could build part and operate it while yuh raise more money to go on with the scheme."

"Raise more money'n that? What do yuh mean? What's the total?" Howland demanded.

"Around sixty thousand."

Several men gasped. "If you want your land to increase in value it'll take some investment, of course. But if we all chip in it won't be so bad. The thing is sure to be worth while," argued Fleming.

There was a slight pause. "That's the point," Roper drawled slowly. "Will it be worth while? If it will, I've about made up my mind to go in it. How about you boys?"

He gazed from face to face. Several men frowned hesitantly, then nodded. If there were any who distrusted Kilgo's leadership, they feared to oppose it. A few looked glum and several appeared reluctant. But the Box 50 owner's declaration applied to all of them. As usual, they would do what he did, follow him like sheep.

"That's settled then. Me—I'm willin', like you boys, to gamble on Torney's say-so. Should we go ahead with irrigation or stay out? That's the thing in a nutshell. Ain't it, Link?"

"Exactly. Now, Soak," he went on, striving to keep triumph out of his voice, "how about it?"

Torney swallowed hard. He cast a furtive, pleading look at Fleming. His bleary gaze swerved, to hold as if riveted on Kilgo and the cold-eyed Jackpot Mell as he answered in his husky, half-audible whisper.

"You could build dams and raise alfalfa—sure. But it'd be a crazy fool thing to do. Irrigation sounds all right, but it's nothing but a new-fangled way to waste money."

"Roper's said all along this ain't any good," he went on hurriedly. "My advice to you men is to stick to Roper—then yore safe. Why, I wouldn't give two cents for all the irrigation dams an' ditches in the United States."

CHAPTER II.

Silence fell like a blanket over the meeting of cattlemen. Fleming's jaw sagged, and his stunned amazement was mirrored on every face in the throng. For everyone, of course, had fully expected Torney to give emphatic approval. Why, the ranchers who stood blinking before him had been almost won over! Had it not been for this sudden reversal, coming with the unexpectedness of a shot in the dark, the irrigation scheme would proceed to organization with all Boone County backing it.

All eyes fixed on Link. Because he was the originator and ardent advocate of the plan, his reaction was of prime interest. While he stood with an incredulous, dismayed expression on his tanned face, Roper Kilgo glanced again at Jackpot Mell. Their look lasted but an instant; then they turned their faces front.

No hint of feeling was in their exchange, but deep in Fleming's heart distrust sparkled alive. As positively as if he had heard exultant words between them, he knew why Soak Torney had suddenly changed his attitude toward irrigation. . . .

He must have been reached—threatened or persuaded from his true conviction. Only yesterday the man had been as enthusiastic as Link!

At once his mind began to build on this thought. Roper had always opposed the thing, until yesterday. His seeming friendliness then was the mask of his ruse. That was clear enough now. Perhaps he feared that his leadership, his grip on local cattlemen, was at stake. If Link put this thing into operation he, not Kilgo, would become the chief to whom weaker men looked for guidance. Roper's power would be gone.

Yes, that must be it. Kilgo used this means to kill forever talk of irrigation, in which he did not believe himself. He wanted the subject scotched—and he had chosen a means to accomplish this with wily astuteness that did him credit, schemer that he was. . . .

There was a stir in the crowd. "Huh!" Seth Howland grunted, "reckon that's settled. This waterin' business ain't any better than I thought."

"Hold on, boys!" Link looked about for Torney, but realized that Soak had shambled quickly off during the taut, astonished silence. He cleared his throat scarcely knowing what he could say to hold them, to

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get new consideration of this matter on which he was so earnestly convinced.

Then sudden anger waved over him, and with both fists clenched until the knuckles showed white, he spoke in a low, intense tone. "Somebody's tampered with Torney. That wasn't his real opinion! Why, he's told me a hundred times irrigation would do wonders for us all. We've worked on this thing, drawn up blueprints, even. Somebody influenced Soak, made him say what he did!" he cried insistently. "I tell you men yore going to regret it if you don't irrigate!"

(To Be Continued)

An Expensive Privilege

Player Who Makes Hole-In-One Deserves A Reward

The doubtful privilege of buying drinks for everybody, which used to be the time-honored custom for all golfers playing a hole in one stroke, is being abandoned in London, Eng.

In future they will be rewarded for accomplishing the feat.

The ambition of all golfers, a hole in one, invariably cost at least \$25 in drinks and entertainment to fellow-players, and the pleasure of doing it thereby was minimized.

It wasn't so bad in pre-war days when whiskey cost less than a dollar a bottle, but now when it sells around \$2.50, a hole in one is pretty expensive.

So the Wilderness club, Kent, has decided that the player doing a hole in one shall be entertained to a meal with full liquid trimmings "on the house." In addition, his green fees—if he is a visitor—and his caddy fees will be refunded.

"We feel that the player who does a hole in one deserves his reward," said Major W. H. Hodgson, secretary of the club. "The last time that happened on this course it cost the players \$55. It was the 18th hole, which measures 265 yards, and naturally a good deal of interest was caused."

Secretaries of other clubs have voiced their general approval of the scheme which is likely to become general.

The Staff Of Life

The perfect diet for an adult includes six slices of bread a day, Toledo bakers were told by Russell W. Varney, official of a New York food company. Varney said three years' research indicated that the staff of life is nearly 100 per cent. digestible.

"How you gettin' on wid youah 'rithmetic, Lou?"

"Well, I done learned to add up de oughts, but de figgers bodder me."

Motor Firm Buys Horses

Foundry Employees Work On Farm During Slack Periods

A new idea in industry was brought to light recently with the announcement a factory making automobile parts was buying horses. The Holmes Foundry Co., Ltd., a manufacturer of automobile cylinders at Sarnia, Ont., purchased three head of Percheron horses for a total of \$5,000.

L. G. Blunt, president, explained the horses were used on vegetable farms owned by the firm. His industry was seasonal, he said, and during the off-season his men went out on the farm and grew all types of vegetables. As a result their off time was put into profitable use.

The men were not paid for their farm work, but the total produce was divided among the number of workmen, the company footing the bill for land, seed, implements, and horses.

The reason for this, he said, lay in the fact his industry demanded skilled workmen. If all employees were laid off when the slack season came it would cost a tremendous amount of money to either find them again or train new employees when the busy season again came around.

In this manner, he said, all employees are kept busy and all are available immediately they are needed. This avoids closing down the plant when the public demand for automobile cylinders slackens.

Views Prize Cattle

Lord Tweedsmuir Was Interested In Royal Winter Fair Exhibits

A governor-general in blue serge suit and black fedora looked over with critical eye the livestock product of a prince's ranch, brought east from the Alberta foothills to adorn the Royal Winter Fair in Toronto.

Lord Tweedsmuir dropped into the fair with his son, Hon. Alastair Buchan, and had a look at Bapton Orator—otherwise the pride of Pekisko Creek—from the Prince of Wales E. P. Ranch. The E. P. bull, winner in the two-year-old Shorthorn competition, was brought from his stall for the governor-general to look at, but was good-natured about it.

Lord Tweedsmuir also examined the University of Alberta cattle, and was much interested in the grand champion cattle shown by Waldo Skinner, Senneville, Que., and Mount Victoria Farms, Hudson Heights, Que.

The governor-general said he would "very much like to see the hogs," and followed them up with sheep and dogs. "There's a Cotswold sheep, a thing you don't often see in the Cotswolds now," he remarked at one stage.

Earlier, His Excellency visited the blind display shop and bought a tray after watching the blind handicraftsmen and women at work.

School At Scotland Yard

Police Teach Methods To Representatives From Other Countries

Scotland Yard is teaching the world how to go about its police work. There are few countries that have not sent representatives to learn from the Metropolitan Police. Among the next batch of "pupils" will be detectives from New Zealand. Police officers have come from Newfoundland, Hong Kong, Singapore, Canada, Australia, France, Spain, Germany, and other Continental countries to glean much from our methods.

Superintendent Batley, chief of the Fingerprint Department, is going to lecture to "pupils" on his subject. Chief Inspector Rowe will demonstrate the Criminal Records Office. The wireless cars and broadcasting methods of the "Yard" will be explained by the Radio Chief, Chief Constable Best. Sir Bernard Spilsbury will give lectures on poisons. Dr. Roche Lynch, the Home Office analyst, will teach his own subject.

The value of scientific research—the examination of bullets, cartridges, and clothing—will be shown by Dr. Davidson, chief of the Crime Laboratory at Hendon. Finally, there will be special lectures on crime detection by Chief Constable Horwell and Superintendent Hambrook of the C.I.D.—Overseas Daily Mail.

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You who are letting miserable misunderstandings run on from year to year, meaning to clear them up some day; you who are keeping wretched quarrels alive because you cannot make up your mind that this is the day to sacrifice your pride and kill them; you who are passing men sullenly on the street, not speaking to them out of some silly spite, and yet knowing it would fill you with remorse if you heard that one of them were dead tomorrow morning; you who are letting your neighbor starve till you hear he is dying of starvation, or letting your friend's heart ache for a word of appreciation or sympathy which you mean to give him some day—if you could only know—and see all of a sudden that the time is short, how it would break the spell. How you would go and do instantly that which you might never have another chance to do.

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Montreal's Dog Population

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Mrs. Simms, Mr. Bray and Miss C. DeVries, who were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. DeVries, have returned to Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. Nordhus and Miss Eunice Olsen of Vancouver were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Ellerson.

Miss Ethel Lidstrom of Vancouver was the holiday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Lidstrom.

Mr. and Mrs. Hood of Cloverdale were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson last week.

Miss E. McLennan of Vancouver spent the weekend as the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. McLennan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright and baby of Vancouver are guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. Erickson.

Miss Daisy Thompson has obtained a job in Vancouver.

Mr. J. Larsen, who is working at Jervis Inlet, is home for a few weeks holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Little entertained a party of friends at dinner Christmas Day. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. McQueen, Mr. and Mrs. Highfield and Peter of Vancouver and Mr. G. White of Hazelton.

Mr. James Sutherland of Penticton is spending a short vacation as the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Steeves of Vancouver were holiday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. West.

The midnight mass service at the St. Anne's church on Christmas Eve was attended by a large number of people, the church being filled to capacity. A midnight service was also held at St. Matthew's church, and was well attended.

Mr. George Trussel was assisting at Daly's Red & White store during the holiday season.

Nels Sandberg was a patient in the local hospital for a few days receiving treatment for a painful carbuncle.

Mr. Jack Delf of Calgary, Alta., is visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Delf.

Miss Elsie McDonald, nurse-in-training at St. Joseph's hospital, Bellingham visited friends and relatives here over the holidays.

Employees of the Delair milk condensary attended the annual meeting and banquet of the Dairy Employees and Milk Salesmen's Union, Local 444, held in Chilliwack recently.

Mr. H. Lambert has been awarded the contract for painting the customs building at Huntingdon.

Mr. J. D. S. Barrett of Vancouver was a visitor in Abbotsford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Shack of Vancouver visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lamont, over the holidays.

A quiet wedding took place in Bellingham on December 24th, when Rev. Scott Ryan united in marriage Elma, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Rosie, to Frederick Charles, second son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. D. Clark of Abbotsford. Mr. and Mrs. Clark will reside with the bride's parents.

Howard Little visited at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Little, over the holidays.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. Trethewey included Misses Irene and Elsie Church of Seattle, Richard and Allan Trethewey are home from school at Vernon for the holidays.

Mrs. Les Davis returned to Tranquille sanatorium, where she is a patient. Her husband accompanied her as far as Harrison, where he is employed.

Miss Elinor A. Finch of Wood River, Alta. is visiting her parents here. She is a school teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Turner and family of Spuzzum were holiday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner, Abbotsford.

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The Heart of England—Ivor Brown
Below London Bridge—H. M. Tomlinson.

The Magical City—V. H. Bailey
"The Heart of England" covers the country in a general way, and its 130 photographs are equally clear and business-like. A. J. Priestley says in the foreword that he has read it watchfully, ready to pounce on faults, for Ivor Brown is not an Englishman, and who is he to know the Englishman's country so well? But with one or two criticisms he recommends this "lively panorama of contemporary England and English life with a sensible and witty guide at your elbow."

Tomlinson, in different vein, takes us to the London docks, where you feel—and smell—the reality of the present, yet with glimpses of the past continually shining through, golden and mellow. The latter half of the book is given over entirely to a series of photographs taken by the author's son, who has tried to capture the unusual along the waterfront.

Through the collection of delicate pencil sketches by V. H. Bailey, we are given an introduction to the Magical City that is New York. His choice of subject places, of course, to the picturesque—places of interest or charm that may be overlooked amongst the modern towering skyscrapers. Mr. Maurice accompanies each sketch with a note giving the historical background of the place. The drawings alone are worthy of notice, and the two together make a pleasant evening's "arm-chair" travel.

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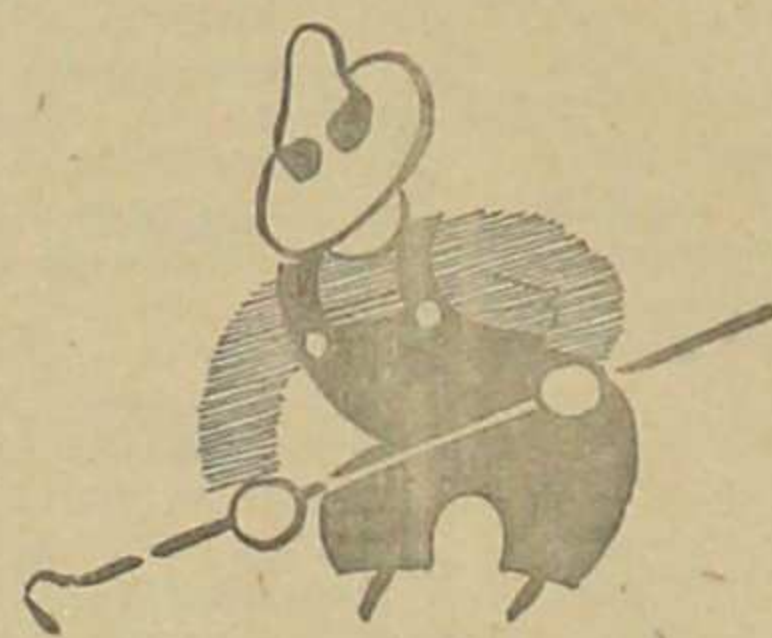
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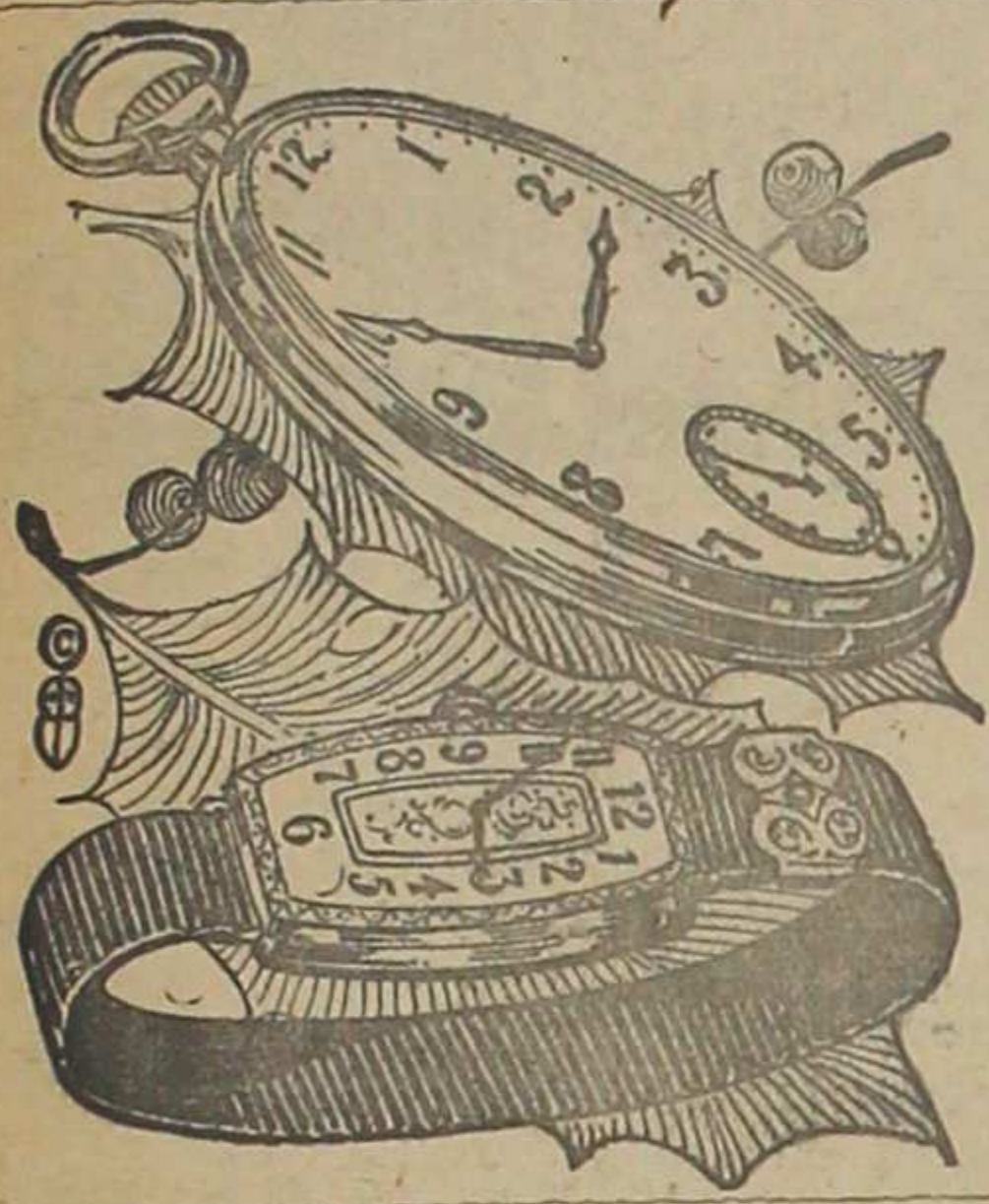
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HORIZON FOR HITLER

"The only thing that is positive in German policy today is the will to war. As far as all other political activity in concerned, the Third Reich is organized upon the basis of permanent civil war, as one half of the people is continuously kept busy, to suppress and usurp the other half.

And yet the focal point around which all European politics revolve today is not, "Can Germany fight?" but WHEN will Germany start her war of conquest, leading sixty million Germans into the "great Aryan crusade" that will either end in the establishment of the great continental Teutonic empire or as is more likely in a general European holocaust?

Can Hitler, Schacht and Goering make it?

Can they make the race against time? Will they have re-armed Germany in time to be able to divert the "evergrowing internal discontent by canalizing it into channels where it cannot do any harm to the prevailing system of government, namely by staging successfully a foreign war?

To answer this question adequately, it is first of all necessary to consider of what the elements of opposition against Hitler consist of today, and what hope, if any, there is for a German revolution.

Here I am in a position to say that the organized underground opposition of the so-called United Front consisting of Liberals, Socialists and Communists, is today at this very moment, weaker than it was six months ago. This is regrettable but true.

It is due to the terrible efficiency of Captain Himmler's secret police, who during the last six months alone, executed or simply beat to death, by actual count, no fewer than 284 organizers and leaders of underground activities.

The Paris Executive of the United German Front admitted to me recently that all their "men with leader qualities" had been shot dead. "Johannes Steel in 'Esquire'.

AND ANOTHER OPINION

"War is coming in Europe as surely as winter follows fall. If we want to stay out now is the time to decide to stay out. Now, before the propaganda starts. Now is the time to make it impossible for any one man, or any hundred men, or any thousand men, to put us in a war in ten days—in a war they will not have to fight.

In the next ten years there will be much fighting, there will be opportunities for the United States to again swing the balance of power in Europe; she will again have a chance to save civilization; she will have a chance to fight another war to end war.

Whoever heads the nation will have a chance to be the greatest man in the world for a short time—and the nation can hold the sack once the excitement is over. For the next ten years we need a man without ambition, a man who hates war and who knows that no good ever comes of it, and a man who has proved his beliefs by adhering to them. All candidates will need to be measured against these requirements."—E. Hennigay.

C. C. F. TO ENTER MUNICIPAL ELECTION PRAY IN MATSQUI

A C.C.F. council for Matsqui is the objective of the local organization, which is grooming candidates for the reeveship and each ward. Rev. E. H. Baker is to contest Reeve George Cruikshank for the executive's seat, V. Melander of Pearstonville will run against Councillor J. Towlan in ward one; Sam Young of Clayburn is to offer himself for Councillor L. J. Kettle's seat on ward three, and J. Little is stated to be a contestant to Councillor T. Goodchild in ward four. As Councillor Simpson is a recognised member of the C.C.F., he will not be opposed by that organization.

from Vancouver, were all grand-sons of the deceased.

MRS. CHAS. HADDRELL DIES

Mrs. Ann Haddrell, wife of Charles A. Haddrell, passed away in the Sumas hospital yesterday morning at the age of 47 years. She had suffered from a pernicious illness for several years, but was not taken critically ill until last Saturday, when she was immediately taken to the hospital.

Mrs. Haddrell was well and favorably known in Abbotsford, having operated a cafe here for several years, and had been a resident for 18 years. She was a native of Montreal and married in Winnipeg, where she resided, later moving to Spy Hill, Sask.

Surviving are three sons, Charles (Ace), Wells, B.C.; William (Bud) and Glenn, at home; and one daughter, Elizabeth, Abbotsford. An infant son, Iard, predeceased her 19 years ago.

The funeral will be conducted from St. Matthew's church at 2:30 p.m. tomorrow (Wednesday) interment to be made in Hazelwood cemetery.

Deceased woman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Nagel, of Waldersee, Man., arrived in Abbotsford to visit Mrs. Haddrell for the New Year holidays.

MRS. EFFIE F. ROSS

The death occurred in Royal Columbian hospital, New Westminster, on December 22, of Mrs. Effie F. Ross of Aldergrove.

The deceased, who was 36 years of age, is survived by her husband, William J. Ross of Ross's Garage, Aldergrove, one son, William Robert, at home. Also surviving are her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch McLean of Mt. Lehman and three brothers and three sisters.

The funeral was held on Friday afternoon from Aldergrove United church to Aberdeen cemetery, Rev. J. Clarke and Rev. R. Walkinshaw officiating.

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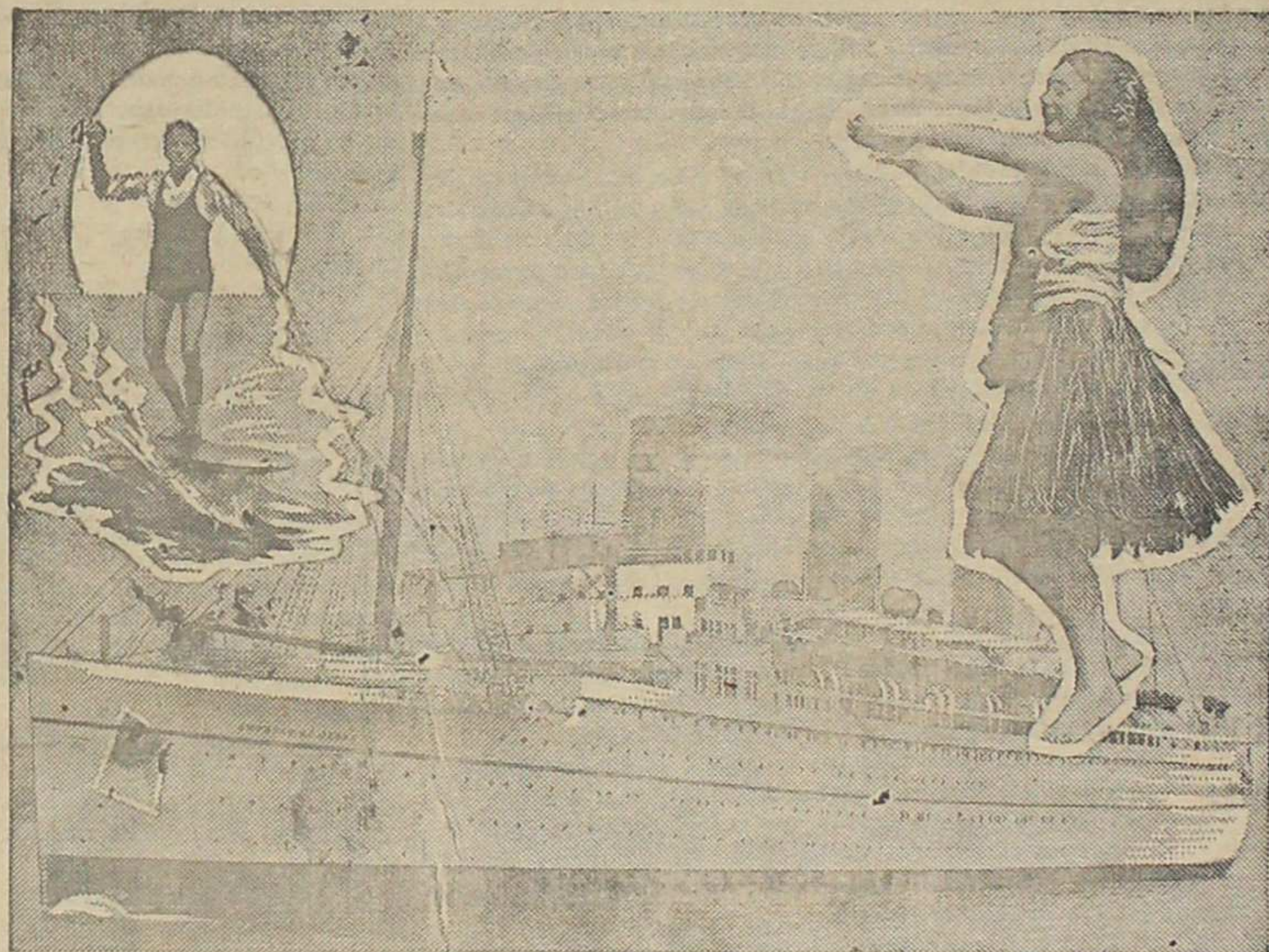
Robert Trethewey commenced studies at the Palmer School of Chiropractic, Davenport, Iowa.

A petition is being circulated by M. J. MacInnes requesting a club license for the Anglo-American club

in Abbotsford. Coyotes and foxes have been giving trouble to farmers and poultrymen in the district. One sheep raiser in Aldergrove sold off most of his flock because of losing so many lambs to the animals.

J. F. Cook beat Angus Gillis for Sumas reeveship; Merryfield elected Matsqui reeve by acclamation. A. McCallum heads Trade Board; secretary-treasurer, R. H. Eby.

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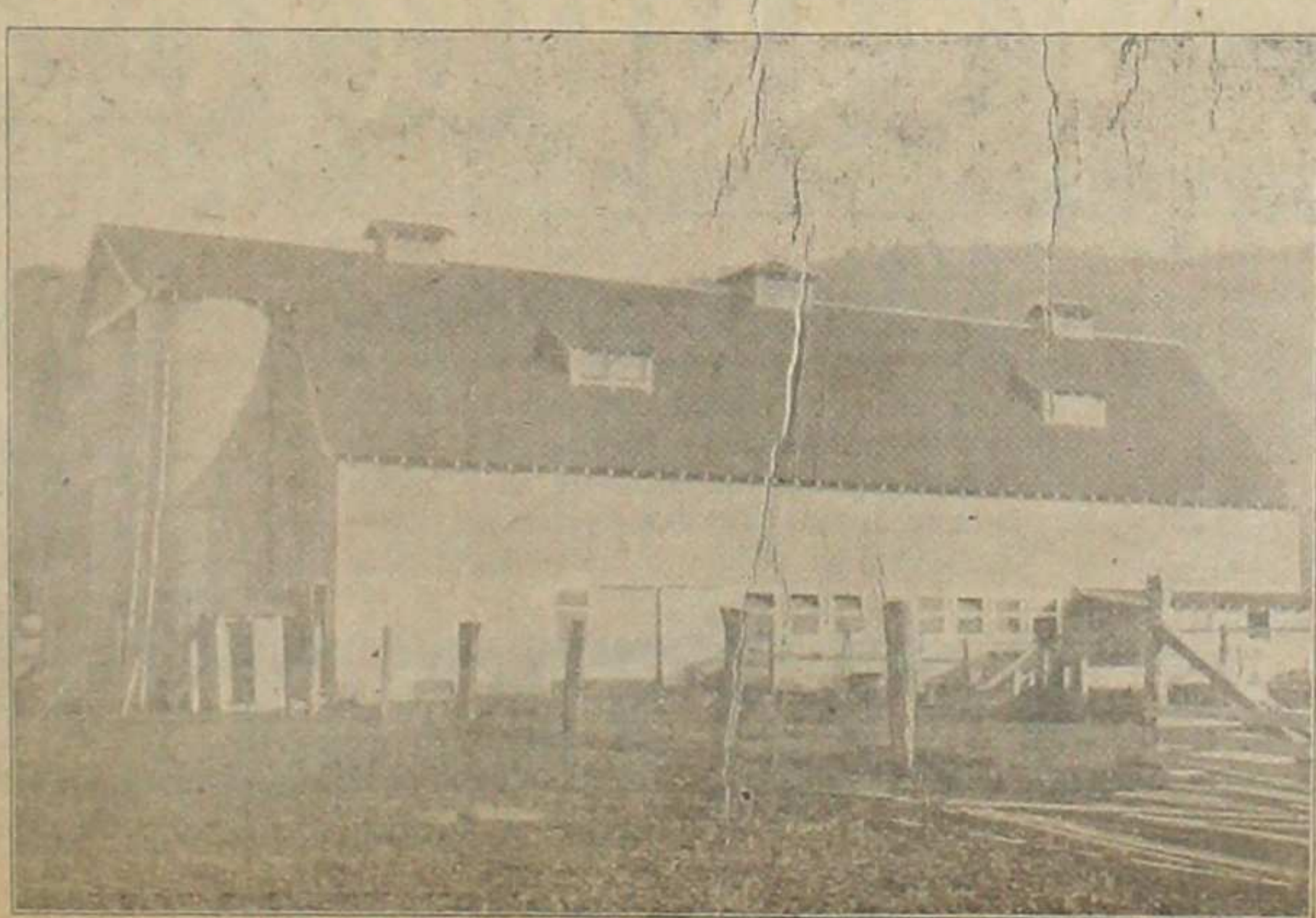
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A Tense Situation

As the Italo-Ethiopian war progresses, and with economic sanctions imposed by the great majority of the members of the League of Nations gradually tightening, the situation in Europe becomes increasingly grave.

The danger of what, a few months ago, appeared to be little more than a colonizing venture of Mussolini in North Africa at the expense of one of the black races, developing into a world conflagration of even greater magnitude than the Great War of 1914-18 with far greater losses and more fearful consequences to civilization seems more imminent with the lapse of time.

While incidents reported from Europe indicate almost daily fluctuations of this world peril there can be no gainsaying the fact that once again all Europe is an armed camp with all nations breathlessly watching the trend of events and the more powerful ones ready to assume the offensive or defensive as circumstances may require or politico-national exigencies may warrant.

One day despatches contain news which reveal a dreadful maelstrom into which the nations are being sucked willy-nilly, with or without their desire. Two or three days later the news is more assuring. The crisis of the moment has been bridged. People breathe a little more easily and await the next hair-raising development, reasonably sure that it will soon appear.

And so it goes from day to day. A situation develops which brings tension and alarm. Ominous threats are uttered. Diplomats hastily exchange notes and conversations, threats are withdrawn or modified or "explained". The tension eases. The peril has been averted momentarily at least, but the black shadow remains and will continue to exist until it is either dispelled entirely or becomes a terrific substance.

It hardly seems conceivable that when Mussolini put his threatened invasion of Ethiopia into execution he could have been aware of what was to follow. He must surely have assumed that the League of Nations would be split asunder when its members were faced with the question of carrying out their obligations to prevent or punish violation of the territory of another member or that some of the stronger members would be willing to put a telescope to a blind eye rather than fulfil their duties and run the risk of precipitating a situation which might lead to a general conflagration.

If that was the viewpoint of the dictator of Italy he guessed wrong. If he thought he could bluff the dominating powers of the League, again he guessed wrong. It would have been the easy way out for the League to have begged the question and to have found excuses to permit Mussolini to have his way in North Africa, knowing that the imposition of sanctions might lead to a very dangerous situation. They did not, however, but took their solemn pledges seriously and decided to implement them. Action followed decision.

The peril lies not so much in the mere fact that the League has imposed economic sanctions and is making them effective but in the possibility of some of the members weakening in the face of threats, or of abandoning the position they have taken because of danger from other quarters or because it may become advantageous to do so.

And Mussolini himself is in a dire predicament. He has now gone too far in his adventure to recede without imperilling his position among his own countrymen. In fact, recession would spell disaster for him at home. On the other hand he cannot expect to carry his campaign to a successful conclusion with a great majority of the nations cutting off his supplies, but defeat in Ethiopia would terminate his career as Italian dictator. On the horns of this dilemma, it can be assumed that Mussolini will leave no stone unturned to disrupt the accord which exists among the nations who have combined in imposing punitive measures against him.

Mussolini unquestionably knows that there is unrest against British rule in India and Egypt and that the Moroccans and Tunisians would welcome an opportunity to throw off the French yoke. If by stirring up trouble in these countries he could divert some of the energies of these two great powers into other channels it would be of distinct advantage to the Italians.

For it is quite conceivable that the outbreak of strife in these countries would be the precursor of troubles and warfare in other countries and might develop into the long-propheesied conflict between the Christian countries of the world and the nations which bow their heads to Mohammed.

While it is difficult to forecast what combinations might result from a split in the ranks of the nationals now engaged in preventing the culmination of Italy's act of aggression, because of the many diverse interests involved and the ramifications interposed among them, the situation is fraught with perils which may well cause apprehension even among many peoples who at the moment appear remote from danger.

A Genuine Stradivarius

Valuable Instruments Are Treasured By An Ontario Woman

Two violins, both some 200 years old, and one believed to be a genuine Stradivarius, are the treasures of Mrs. Ernest Bloom, Orangeville, Ont.

One instrument was sent from England and bears the inscription, "Antonius Stradivarius Cremona Faciebat Anno 1726," and the other, purchased by Mrs. Bloom's husband, is inscribed, "Annon 1757, Carlo Bergonzi Tece in Cremonae."

Saskatchewan Honey

Saskatchewan beekeepers demonstrated that western honey is in a class by itself for its fine quality and delicious flavour for they won four of five prizes for light extracted honey in one pound jars at the Toronto Royal Winter Fair.

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A Real Pioneer

Educated Mohawk Indian Was Early Surveyor In West

Thomas Daniel Green, 77, full-blooded Mohawk Indian, surveyor, traveller, bachelor of science and friend of Sir John A. Macdonald, died recently at Rocky Mountain House, Alta. He was born in Brandt county, Ontario, and graduated from McGill University with the degree of B.Sc. during the Macdonald regime and while the Marquis of Lansdowne was governor-general, he was employed in the department of interior. He was one of the earliest surveyors in the west. He had a splendid command of the English language.

Saved By Hand-Shake

An Alsatian pup saved its life by offering to "shake hands" with its would-be executioner. Sentenced to death because it was thought to be vicious, the dog captivated C. J. Wollett, stock inspector at Sydney, Australia, and he arranged to return it to the owner.

Pure honey is used as a centre in some golf balls 2128

May Grant Privilege

Australian Women Likely To Act As Jurors In Court

Before the year closes women might be acting as jurors in Australia and also sitting on the bench. The minister of justice of New South Wales, L. O. Martin, has promised to introduce a bill to give women that privilege.

They would not be presiding magistrates, but act as assessors do in industrial courts. They would be permitted to express to the presiding magistrate, with becoming brevity, it is hoped, their opinions on the cases.

The desire to do this has long held a place in the thoughts of women who are active in public affairs, and they are bent upon translating ambition into fact. The children's court is their first objective. They claim that they are better qualified to deal with young children than the ordinary magistrate. The children's court, however, deals with cases of youths aged 18 years, as well as with younger ones, and even women advocates admit that a man is better able to deal with some older juvenile offenders than a woman.

They argue, however, that a woman's presence, coupled with a word in season to the man presiding, might be beneficial. Past and present magistrates do not all agree with that opinion. There are women justices of the peace, of course, in Sydney. Certain ardent feminists ask why they should not sit on the bench, but not even male justices of the peace sit on the bench in Sydney. It is said in quarters most familiar with the working of the courts that they never will.

Alberta Rhodes Scholar

Mark McClung, Son Of Canadian Authoress, Receives Award

University of Alberta Rhodes scholar for 1935-36 is Mark McClung, 24, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McClung, of Victoria, formerly of A.C. and Winnipeg. The new Rhodes scholar's mother is Nellie McClung, the noted Canadian authoress. Award of the scholarship was made known recently.

A student in honors philosophy, Mr. McClung's campus career was marked by brilliant scholastic success. He has been at the University of Alberta for five years and during that time has taken active part in student affairs.

The new Rhodes scholar expects to leave for Oxford in the fall and intends to spend three years overseas. A brother, Jack, solicitor in the provincial attorney-general's department, brought a similar honor to the family on conclusion of his career at the University of Alberta by winning the I.O.D.E. scholarship which enabled him to spend a year in the Old Country.

Savings Deposits

Have Increased Almost A Million Dollars During Past Year

Savings deposits in Canadian chartered banks on Oct. 31 amounted to \$1,465,401,708—almost \$100,000,000 more than on the corresponding date in 1934, according to the monthly statement of the banks to the department of finance. There was \$21,000,000 increase in deposits since last September 30.

Current account deposits also showed a marked increase, being up \$35,000,000 in the month and more than \$80,000,000 as compared with Oct. 31, 1934.

Deposits outside Canada were up about \$6,000,000 in the month and more than \$60,000,000 in the year, accounted for in a large measure by the increasing deposits of currency other than Canadian in Canadian banks, which are shown in this column.

Current loans in Canada were down some \$15,000,000 in the month and \$40,000,000 less than a year ago, while call loans were also down.

License Fees From Radios

Amount Received From Owners About Same As Last Year

Collection of license fees on radio receiving sets during the current fiscal year has been running about on a par with last year when the total revenue from this source was slightly less than \$1,500,000. Beginning with the fiscal year 1932-33 the fee has been \$2 for each receiving set.

In spite of the depression and the fact that radio owners on relief have not been pressed for their license fees, collections have been between 90 and 95 per cent. complete, officials at Ottawa said.

Cost of collection has been about an average of 15 cents for each \$2 license with a general overhead of 5 per cent.

Inaugurates New Service

Japanese Department Store Has Opened Free Marriage Bureau

Not content with merely imitating the merchandising practices of the West, a large department store in Osaka, Japan, has instituted a new native service for customers. A free marriage bureau has been opened in the store. There men and women who desire to marry may register and furnish pertinent information about themselves.

Marriage in Japan usually is arranged by families, rather than by the individuals concerned, through go-betweens who receive a commission for their services. The new bureau will take over the work customarily done by the go-between.

There is a business reason for the establishment of this free service. The couples who meet through the bureau will purchase their wedding outfit at the store.—New York Times.

Radio Inquiry

Parliamentary Committee May Hold Investigation

A parliamentary committee may be established when the house meets in January to investigate radio broadcasting in Canada, particularly the administration of the radio commission, it was learned recently.

It was understood every phase of broadcasting would be probed including the possibility of regulating broadcasting by a general manager instead of a commission of three.

During the campaign Mr. MacKenzie King took exception to certain broadcasts under the name of "Mr. Sage" and promised reform of broadcasting regulations to stop abuse of public men. It is probable the "Mr. Sage" broadcast will be investigated.

Islanders Are Delighted

China Clipper Ends Isolation Of Residents Of Guam

Residents of Guam Island hailed arrival of the mail-laden China Clipper as ending the isolation of this tropical Pacific isle. The craft had left Alameda, Calif., four days previously.

The graceful sky liner, nearing the end of its first flight over a trans-Pacific air mail route, arrived at Guam from Waka Island at 3:07. The 1,300-mile distance was covered in 10 hours, three minutes.

Two hundred pounds of mail was unloaded and speeded to the post-office for delivery, while Capt. Edwin Musick, skipper of the flying boat, and his eight-man crew were welcomed by officials.

Recipe For Youth

Live In Present Is Advice Of Famous Humorist

George Ade, the humorist, tells how to be young at 70. "Live only in the present," he said. "That's the secret. I caught myself reading the obituary notices recently before I turned to the sport page, and that is a sure sign of ossification," Ade mourned. "But I won't let myself become a mossback and a has-been so I keep the old bean in touch with the latest news, the latest plays, the latest movies, and the latest books."

Edwin Thomas Howes, eccentric Londoner, lived a miser's life and starved himself, but lit his pipe every morning with a one-pound note. He continued the practice until his recent death.

She—I read a book last night that carried me right back to my childhood.

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Butter is one of the foods which has been widely used for many centuries, but whose true nutritional merit has only recently been brought to light, according to Laura C. Pepper, of the Dairy and Cold Storage Branch, Dominion Department of Agriculture. Recognizing the importance of adequate amounts of fats in diet and the valuable contributions made to health by butter, modern scientists uphold the generous use of this superior fat.

Palatability and high food value are the two qualities which earn for butter the distinction of being "the fat for which there is no substitute." Fats recommended for their tasteless properties hold little or no interest for the woman who prides herself on her cooking. She knows it is butter that makes cream sauces look and taste so rich; it is the butter used in cakes and cookies that evokes praise from friends; and, similarly, it is butter that insures excellent flavour and colour in many dishes prepared for the family table.

As for food value, butter is a concentrated energy producer, yielding 2 1/4 times as much heat in the body as the sugar and starch foods. This is a strong argument in favour of using plenty of butter, particularly during cold weather when the body requires extra heat. Butter is easily digested and readily and completely assimilated by the body; it contains small quantities of lime and phosphorus, and in addition has a high vitamin content which distinguishes it from other fats. It is an exceptionally good source of Vitamin A, which builds up resistance to disease and promotes normal health and growth. Butter is also one of the few foods which provide Vitamin D—the sunshine vitamin—so necessary for the development of bones and teeth.

The National Physical Laboratory at Teddington, Eng., has a tank, 670 feet long and 30 feet wide, in which scale models of boats and ships of all sizes are tested for speed and seaworthiness.

A civic law in Tenganan, Dutch East Indies, forbids men to work in the village under penalty of being publicly thrashed by women.

Gray hair begins to show on white persons at the average age of 35. In Negroes this occurs seven years later.

Japan reports that 1,803,000 Japanese are now living in other countries.

Now Linked By Wireless

Lone Island Of Grand Cayman Connected With Jamaica

An island paradise where time for centuries has stood still, heard a belated warning of the march of progress, when wireless communication was established between Jamaica and Grand Cayman, one of her dependencies.

Lying about 300 miles northwest of Jamaica, Grand Cayman is the "whitest" island in the West Indies, more than 4,000 out of a total population of 5,000 being from English stock. Many of the original settlers came to Jamaica about the time Charles II. was put on the throne, and when his governor began to make trouble for them here, they moved to Grand Cayman. Others are descendants of English pirates and shipwrecked seamen who were the terrors of the Caribbean more than 200 years ago. Piracy that brought uncertain rewards was abandoned for the easier trade of wrecking—luring ships ashore by false beacon fires.

A religious people, they habitually prayed ships would be caught on the coral reef bounding the island, and a story is told how a congregation who ran out into a storm to loot a wreck were hailed by the parson: "Brethren, wait for the benediction, and let's all start fair."

But to-day the Grand Caymans are described as the happiest and most lawabiding people in the world. So peaceful have they become, it is said the only sin they commit is in dropping their h's.

Until Governor Sir Edward Denham of Jamaica formally opened the wireless service, the only communication with Grand Cayman was by boat.

A Reasonable Request

And while the Government is paying the farmers for all the pigs they don't raise and all the corn and wheat and cotton they don't plant why don't they pay the radio song-crooners for every radio song they don't croon? And why not pay the gals who lecture and do parts in radio drama for keeping off the air, asks the Chicago Tribune.

New Kind Of Marathon

Wear a beard or pay a dollar is the law in Anaconda, Montana, this winter. The annual whisker marathon, first event in Anaconda's "winter sport carnival", has started. Every man in the town must let his beard grow or pay the city a dollar for an exemption permit.

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The True Democratic Ideal Is Difficult To Attain, Says Baron Tweedsmuir

Whenever a mechanical state has been attempted it has always ended in disaster, Baron Tweedsmuir, Canada's new governor-general, said in an address on democracy to a University of Toronto convocation at which an honorary degree of doctor of laws was conferred on him.

Certain great countries in the old world had been prepared to surrender their souls to a dictator or an oligarchy if only they were promised security. In such cases, all freedom of personality was lost and human beings became a disciplined collection of automata.

The governor-general remarked politics had hitherto been his chief subject but now, in the ordinary sense, were forbidden him. But today when the duties and rights of the state impinged so much upon the private life of the citizen, politics, in the broadest sense had become of far more universal interest than ever before.

University of Toronto, he believed, had striven to live up to the conception James Bryce, former British ambassador at Washington, had of United States universities—popular and free. An institution might be popular without freedom and free without being popular. The combination meant the attainment of the true democratic ideal—equality of social status, a high level of human sympathy and complete freedom of thought.

"We are told, and told truly, that to-day democracy is at stake," he said. The democratic form of government was the most difficult of all because it set up so high a purpose. It offered a wonderful prospect and if it failed the disillusion was the keener.

The true democratic ideal had never been attained in history. Human society had never risen to the perfect balance of law and liberty and to-day the conditions of its attainment were more difficult than ever.

"Our fathers devised a certain constitutional machine which they believed would safeguard our independence and at the same time permit the tasks of government to be adequately performed," he continued. "That machine may have been too narrowly constructed."

In the interests of efficiency it may have to be drastically remodelled. . . But what we must hold fast to is the truth that no machine can be permitted to impair the freedom of the spirit and weaken the citizen's responsibility toward that conscience and that reason which are the gifts of God.

The danger came from two sources. One he called the "peril of the mass." In the modern state, because of its vast aggregations of human beings, there was an inclination to think of broad classes—the workers, the proletariat, the bourgeoisie—and generalize about them with total facility. The human being was obscured by the inhuman mass.

The second danger was what Baron Tweedsmuir called the "peril of the machine." This tended not merely to blunt the individuality of the human masses but to leave out humanity altogether and to regard the citizens as a minute cog in a vast impersonal machine.

New Pressures Produced

Are Believed To Be Highest Ever Reached By Man

Announcement of new apparatus which imposes pressures of 1,000,000 pounds per square inch, makes ice better than boiling water and causes graphite to scratch steel was made at Harvard University. The pressures are the highest ever reached by man duplicating the depths of the earth. Pressures at the centre of the earth are estimated at 50 million pounds. Harvard's new million-pound pressures are believed equal to those a few hundred miles down. They were produced in the laboratory of Dr. P. W. Bridgman, in the research laboratory or physics.

Shipping Enthusiast

In 28 days, Tom Morris, an Australian skipping enthusiast, has skipped 600 miles. His journey was from Melbourne to Sydney along the Hume highway. He estimated that he skipped about 800 turns to each mile, and about 472,000 turns for the journey. He wore out five skipping ropes, but used only one pair of shoes. Three cyclists carried food and clothing for him. He undertook the feat to demonstrate the value of skipping as an exercise.

Problem Still Unsolved

Man Has Not Yet Decided How To Sleep

It is remarkable that in more than three thousand years mankind has not decided how to sleep. Nineteen centuries ago A. Cornelius Celsus gave medical practitioners the sage advice that sick people should sleep on the kinds of beds to which they were accustomed, hard cots for the users of hard mattresses, softer ones for those accustomed to softer down. But that is only part of a solution. What kind of beds should people try to get accustomed to? Ever since the discovery of magnetism there have been recurring waves of interest in whether or not people should sleep with their heads toward the north magnetic pole. Dr. Donald Laird was responsible for starting not long ago a medical discussion about whether Pullman porters are right or wrong in making up berths with heads toward the engine. The famous shipbuilder Sir Alfred Yarrow once invented and advocated a bed that rocked all night like a ship at sea. And now comes Dr. C. E. Sanders, of Kansas City, with a bed that tips back and forth slowly to put less strain on the sleeper's heart.

Dr. Sanders's theory is that tilting the body alternately one way or the other aids blood flow to the downward end at each interval when it is down, thus providing the whole body with ample blood supply at suitable intervals without the heart being compelled to pump this blood all by itself. A similar method was suggested a few months ago for persons being treated for drowning or electric shock.

Rocking chairs, swaying cradles and swinging hammocks have been so common in so many ages and among so many races that there must be some deep-lying human habit which makes them pleasing. Ages ago, when our remote ancestors were disporting in the trees, it may be that the strain of monkeys destined to be humans acquired a habit of sleeping on swaying branches, so that similar motions still seem like our ancestral home. In still remoter days of evolution some kind of creature that was to lead upward out of the seas presumably lived for ages in waters rocked back and forth rhythmically by the waves. It is out of fashion just now among psychologists to look so far back as that for urges in existing human minds. The old idea of "ancestral memories" is frowned down. Perhaps Dr. Sanders's work on rocking and blood flow will help some of these frowners to a more modern explanation of why human beings like to be rocked. —New York Herald-Tribune.

Finds Rare Butterfly

English Collector Nets Many Specimens Along Amazon

For 55 years a collector of butterflies, Walter Dannatt of Lee, at the age of 73, has returned from a butterfly hunt in the jungle on the banks of the Amazon River.

He sailed for Brazil in the summer and spent nearly two months between the coast and Manaus, which is 1,000 miles from the mouth of the river. He took with him a bicycle which he had ridden for 30 years, though he was not able to use it in the wilder parts. Mr. Dannatt said along the Amazon he had added some 500 or 600 varieties to his collection, which now numbers between 18,000 and 19,000. Specimens which he has brought home include a gorgeous type of butterfly nearly six inches across, with brilliant iridescent wings.

For Research Bureau

Establishment under the national research council of a research bureau with three divisions covering different phases of forestry was suggested at the session of the conference on forestry research at Ottawa. The first division, it was urged, should look after forest soils, the second, proper methods of harvesting forest crops, and the third, desirable logging practices.

If there were but one nest of robins on each acre of land in Pennsylvania, with four young in each nest, a total of 3,000 tons of insects would be required to feed them for one day.

The man who never change his mind may have no mind to change.

Biscuit is a French word which means "twice cooked." 2128

The SNAPSHOT GUILD

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Place an ordinary floor lamp about three feet to the back and to the left of your subject as shown in diagram above. Floor lamp "B" should be placed as shown in the diagram about five feet away with both shades tilted upward so as to throw the light directly on your subject. You should have two Photoflood bulbs in lamp "A" and in lamp "B".

Set the diaphragm at f.6.3 and shutter speed at 1/25 of a second. Focus the camera properly, turn on your Photoflood bulbs, snap the picture—and there you are.

If you have a box camera or one with a slower lens you can make a flashlight picture with the aid of a Photoflash bulb. With a Photoflash bulb you will need but the one lamp. Place your camera on a table or some solid object and set it for "time". Within arm's length and at your side, place a floor lamp with the shade removed. Remove the home light bulb and replace with the Photoflash bulb. Now—open the shutter of your camera, switch on the current for the Photoflash bulb, which will give a vivid, instantaneous flash of light. Immediately after the flash close the shutter of your camera.

You will get a lot of fun out of taking pictures of your baby and in years to come these pictures will prove to be a real treasure chest of memories. Start to-day.

JOHN VAN GUILDER.

When Vision Changes

Scientist Claims Eyes Mirror Approximate Date Of Death

In your eyes you carry signs which tell how many years of life you may expect. This is asserted by a scientist at Nice, France, who claims that by examining a middle-aged person's eyes he can tell the approximate date of his or her death. The elasticity of the "lens" of the human eye frequently diminishes at about the age of 50, he explains, and the "owner" becomes long-sighted. If a patient is examined at this period it is possible to tell, from the degree of change in vision, how many years he has to live.

The eye disease trachoma afflicts 80,000 persons in Spain, and is the leading cause of blindness in that country.

Welfare Man Is Surprised

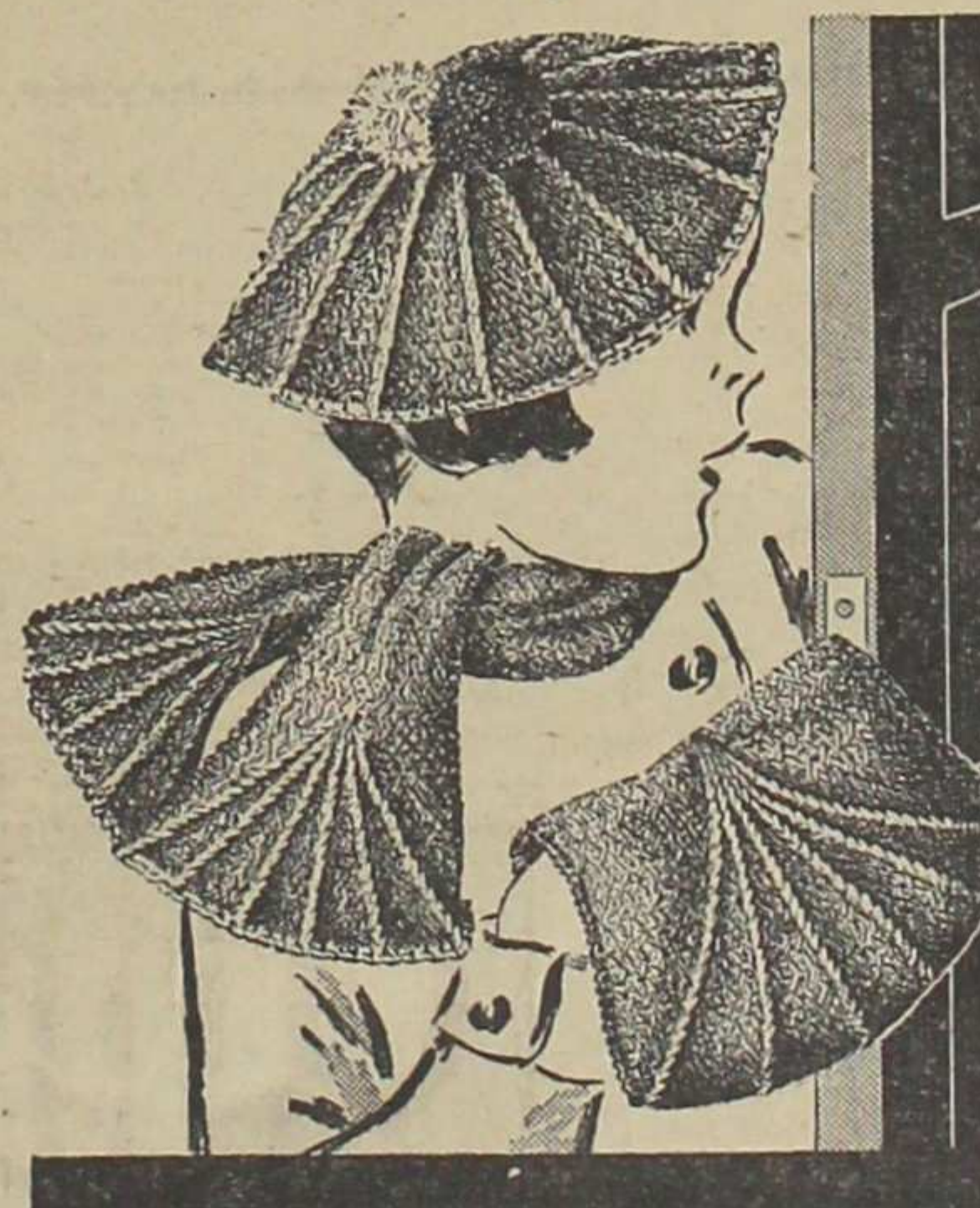
Is Unable To Inspect Jail As Prisoners Are Away On Holidays

F. R. Scott, professor at McGill and prison welfare worker, visited Russia this summer. He was prepared for surprises, but hardly for what he was told when he broached the subject of prisons to his guide. While he and a party of tourists were passing a large penitentiary near Kharkov, he asked if it would not be possible for him to inspect the buildings. The guide shook his head. "The prison is closed," he said. "The prisoners are away on their holidays."

Mrs. Brown: "Do you know, dear, I was reading the other day that an ostrich can see very little, and can digest anything."

Mrs. Smith: "What an ideal husband!"

Crochet For Big Or Little Sister



Household Arts by Alice Brooks

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PATTERN 5488

Whether she's five or twelve any very young lady will adore a crocheted set like this! She will feel very "grown-up" indeed with a perky pom-pommed beret on her head and her hands in a muff-practical, while Mother will know that these woolly accessories are warm and practical. All three pieces are crocheted in a simple stitch, and the decorative ribbing worked on afterwards. One piece or the set would be a perfect Christmas present worked in two shades of a bright wool, or in contrasting colors.

In pattern 5488 you will find complete instructions for making the set shown; illustrations of it and of all stitches used; material requirements; color suggestions.

To obtain this pattern send 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred) to Household Arts Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermot Ave. E., Winnipeg.

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Maintenance Of Peace In The Future The Intimate Concern Of Every Individual

Canadian Plow Champion

Introduced Plowing Matches To Western Canada While A Young Lad

The man who introduced plowing matches to western Canada 62 years ago is still going strong at 83 years of age. He is Horatio Webb of Chilliwack, B.C. He crossed the continent on the first train to run through from coast to coast, the journey occupying 14 days. He had it in mind to search for gold, but drifted to the farm instead.

Having achieved something of a local reputation as a plowman, young Webb was challenged by two Canadians to a plowing match for substantial stakes. Webb imported a special plow from England and won easily. Since that day there have been annual plowing matches at Chilliwack, and recently the plowing association presented Webb with a gold watch as a token of esteem.

Once Horatio Webb defrayed the expenses of moving a church 40 miles from the abandoned town of Fort Douglas to Chilliwack. Indians, under his supervision moved the church to the water's edge, lifted it on to four 60-foot canoes and floated it down a lake and river to its new site.

As exhibitor or judge, Mr. Webb has been associated with every important fair in British Columbia since 1869. Whenever he travels, Webb registers himself as from "Tchullehaywa'hyuck," which is the old Indian name of Chilliwack. No hotel clerk has succeeded yet in pronouncing it right at the first attempt.

Promising Salmon Pack

1935 Pack In British Columbia To Be Heavy

Present prospects are that British Columbia's 1935 pack of canned salmon will be substantially larger than the average annual production in the preceding 10-year period. During ten years (1925-1934) the yearly average output of canned salmon in the Pacific Coast province was 1,541,860 cases, holding 48 one-pound cans each, and the outlook now is that this year's pack will probably run to or exceed 1,600,000 cases. At the middle of October, as shown by reports made to the Department of Fisheries, the canneries had put up approximately 1,425,000 cases, and last year between mid-October and the end of canning operations they packed over 250,000 cases. The aggregate production in 1934 was slightly under 1,583,000 cases.

Production of canned sockeye this year will not be quite as great as it was in 1934, when almost 370,700 cases were processed. The 1935 pack will probably total about 350,000 cases; at the middle of October, with the sockeye canning nearly over for the year, the production figures were 345,260 cases. On the other hand, there has been a gain in the pack of pinks, and chum output promises to be fairly well ahead of the 1934 figure. The output of canned cohoes has been running ahead of last year's production but there has been some drop in the pack of springs, as well steelheads.

Aid For Police Detection

Enables Officer To Determine Whether A Person Is Carrying Concealed Weapons

Among the latest devices developed in the war on crime are an automatic "gun detector" and an automatic "mugging" machine which anyone can operate.

The "gun detector" enables law enforcement officers to determine with an electric "eye" whether a suspect has a gun concealed on his person, and also will reveal whether visitors to jails or prisons are carrying guns, knives or saw blades.

The "mugging" machine reduces the process of getting a Bertillon picture to the mere pressing of a button. These new inventions were demonstrated at Cleveland at a crime conference.

Thought Question Foolish

Liza, the Negro cook, answered the telephone one morning and a cheerful voice enquired: "What number is this?"

Liza was in no mood for trifling questions, and said with some asperity, "You ought to know. You done called it."

Fifty thousand people are engaged in the radio industry in England.

The Prince of Wales, presiding at the annual dinner of the Institute of International Affairs, said the organization had developed following the realization of some members of the British delegation to the Versailles peace conference that maintenance of peace "was the intimate concern of every man and woman."

Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian high commissioner to London, and Sir Samuel Hoare, foreign secretary, also spoke at the dinner.

"We, sir, in Canada venture to regard you as one of our own," said Massey, addressing the prince.

"The growth of the Canadian institute has been steady and rapid," he continued. "There are 716 members belonging to 14 branches in all parts of Canada."

Five members of the Canadian cabinet were members and he hoped shortly that membership would be regarded as an essential qualification for cabinet rank.

The Prince of Wales congratulated the institute on its rapid growth.

"When at the peace conference a small group of members of the British delegation saw the need for such an institute in the post-war world. They realized that maintenance of peace in the future was no longer the business of a selected few but the intimate concern of every man and woman," said His Royal Highness.

"The founders, however, could not have foreseen the astounding development of interest in international affairs which we are witnessing today."

"The post-war world, though one in speed of communications, is far from one in comprehension of these communications. Knowledge flies ever faster but wisdom lags, so judgment is apt to be dangerous."

"It is beyond the range of ordinary citizens to grasp all the intricacies of government involved in conducting the policy of the vast and varied British Commonwealth, yet it is essential for the government to have an enlightened public opinion behind it."

"That is why there is such a demand on the resources of the institute to provide unbiased information on every aspect of current national affairs. The institute thus fills an important gap in our national life."

Eskimos Are Law-Abiding

Commissioner Of R.C.M.P. Says They Are Peaceful People

Major-General Sir James MacBrien, commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, was a judge at the National Horse Show, New York. In an interview he touched on Eskimos.

"They are a peaceful, law-abiding people," he said. "About the only time we have to go up there is when there is a murder over a woman. The Eskimos are cursed, or should I say blessed, with an astounding shortage of wives."

Sir James viewed the Hollywood conception of the "Mountie" with indulgence. "It helps to inspire the rookies," he said. One thing he did object to was the stage show, "Rose Marie," of some years ago. "I'll never forget those dancing chorus boys dressed up as the Royal Canadian Mounted Police," he said. "It was dreadful."

Sir James said that the phrase that the mounted police "always get their man" was not true, but he liked it as an American tribute to the "Mounties."

"On occasion we have missed and do miss our man," he admitted. "But we never stop trying. We have men working on crimes committed 40 years ago."

He said that he received more letters from Americans asking about the Royal Mounted than he did from the rest of the world.

Fortune For Seamen

To the Prince of Wales came recently a check for almost \$100,000 from a man who once worked on a sailing vessel for less than a dollar week. The donor is T. B. Davis, owner of the racing schooner Westward, and his gift is for the benevolent fund of the merchant navy of which the Prince is Master.

Every language in the civilized world is spoken, and newspapers in nearly all of them are published, within the city limits of New York.

Japanese motorists must equip their cars with anti-splashing devices on rainy days, to protect pedestrians on the narrow streets.

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Members of St. Matthew's Sunday
School enjoyed their Christmas party
on Friday in the Parish hall. Supper
was served to the children at 6 p.m.,
after which games were played. Rev.
Mr. Rimmer read a Christmas story,
and the children sang carols. After-
wards Santa Claus distributed gifts to
everyone from the tree.

SPORT SIFTINGS

Abbotsford Soccer Team Lose
to Langley

Wallowing, slipping, sliding and
dying on a field more suitable for
growing water-lilies than for playing
football, Abbotsford was beaten, two
goals to one, at Langley Prairie, on
Boxing Day.

Players stepped a little dubiously
at first, but after a few moments, it
didn't matter. Everyone resembled a
mudlark. Langley scored their first
goal on a good shot in the corner of
the goal. Their second, which came
within a few minutes of the first, was
due to a weak clearance, the ball
dropping at the toe of one of their
forwards, who banged it through.

Abbotsford's only tally came in the
second half, Ralston scoring neatly on
a nice pass. Langley missed a penalty
shot, the kick going over the bar.

Abbotsford lost to a better team on
the day's play, but conditions made
it impossible for any real football to
be played. The kick and rush tactics
of the Langley team brought their
results.

It Must Be Catching!—Clayburn
Beats Abbotsford Too

Abbotsford soccer team took it on
the chin for the second time in a
week, when they lost to Clayburn on
Saturday by a score of 2 goals to 1.

Hampered by the loss of a player
early in the game, and with several
of the regulars missing, the locals
were outplayed. The defeat is a vital
one, as it gives Langley a clear lead
in the league.

Highland Boys Lose Hard Game
To Langley Team

Highland United and Langley en-
gaged in a really good game on the
Jubilee grounds on Sunday. The
Langley team finished winners by a
3-1 score, but the Bradner boys had
their full share of the play. Langley
opened the scoring and shortly be-
fore half time, Highland drew even on
a penalty kick. Langley's second goal
was a gift, the local goalie misplaying
a bouncing ball. Highland forced the
play all through the second half, and
narrowly missed scoring on several
occasions.

Abbotsford and Langley were sched-
uled to meet on New Year's Day on
the Jubilee grounds, but the game
has been postponed.

Business Was Good

"Business was larger and better
than ever before, and turn-overs far
exceeded those of last Christmas." Such
was the unanimous report of
Abbotsford merchants when question-
ed regarding Yuletide business.

And business was better. Abbots-
ford was a busy little centre last
week. Well-planned advertising in-
vitations brought the people into the
village, and the decorated streets and
attractive displays did the rest.

The Abbotsford post office kept a
force of seven busy in sorting and dis-
tributing the mails, and the large
numbers of parcels and letters were
handled smoothly, with little delay.
The influx of settlers in the Pear-
donville-Poplar and other districts has
greatly increased the duties of the
post-office during the past year.

While the weather was too mild to
be termed "Christmassy", a cheerful
holiday spirit prevailed everywhere.

CLAYBURN

The condition of Mrs. Lola Seldon,
wife of Dr. G. Seldon of Vancouver,
who was injured in an automobile ac-
cident at Toledo, Wash., is not as ser-
ious as first feared. She is in the
Vancouver General Hospital suffering
from broken legs and severe shock.

Dr. Seldon, who is well known here
the brother of T. F. Seldon, Clayburn,
suffered minor injuries in the ac-
cident which occurred as he and his
wife were motoring to California for
the holidays.

Mr. T. Z. Wilson of Clayburn is re-
ceiving treatment in Shaughnessy
hospital.

Poplar Women's Institute held their
Christmas Tree at the home of Mrs.
J. Wilson on Thursday evening. The
retiring president, Mrs. Latter, was
presented with a half-dozen dessert
spoons. Twenty members were pres-
ent, and each received a gift. Refresh-
ments marked the close of a very en-
joyable evening.

Welfare donation acknowledgments
Mrs. H. Fraser, Mrs. Ryall, Mrs. Ward
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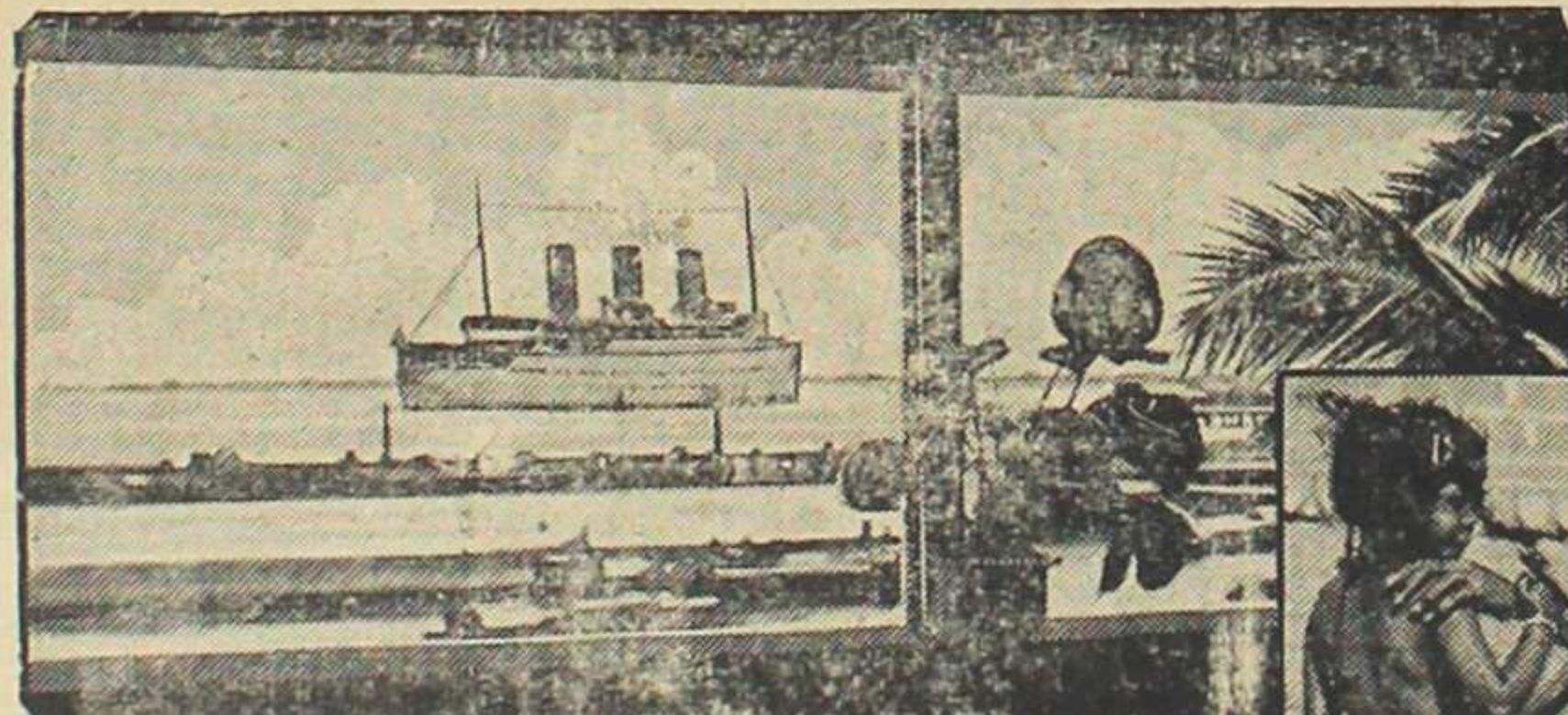
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CANADIAN WRITES OF CRUISE

Thoughts of travel to far places where hot sunny days make
nature's covering seem more reasonable than fur coats are coinci-
dent with the sound of coal rattling into cellars in preparation for
the long winter, and a very timely book that will be of great assist-
ance to travel-minded people has just appeared. It is "—and ships
—and sealing-wax", by Alan Maurice Irwin, published by Macmillan.
Last year the author, who is a Canadian journalist, cruised
around the world in the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Britain,
and this book is a collection of his impressions, a companionable,
intriguing sort of book in which he has written delightfully of nice
and naughty things, handled a hard-working camera with becoming
discretion, and argues in the manner of Kipling that the "Colonel's
lady and Judy O'Grady are sisters under the skin."

The Mediterranean, Egypt, India—where the author lunched with Lord and Lady Willingdon, the
Malay Peninsula, little known Cambodia, China, Japan—even Hollywood, are amongst the places he
writes about.

India, a country that has suffered much at the hands of those whose trade is writing, comes in
for some rather rakish debunking; tropic nights and tropical seas come in for some rather good
descriptions. Simple, homely adventures amongst the simple, homely people of Ball develop the
amusing knowledge that the women of this modern Eden are very interested in step-ins and other
silken things.

S. Morgan-Powell, noted literary critic of the Montreal Star, writing of "—and ships,—and sealing-
wax", says: "Mr. Irwin has the light, whimsical touch invaluable for such a record as this, since it
enabled him not only to remember what is vivid but to forget what is not worthy of remembrance—
it also provides a most attractive medium by which to stimulate the interest of those who have hith-
erto been compelled for one reason or another, to enjoy their travels abroad vicariously."

Empress of Britain
through a window
at Zamboanga.

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